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In response to the action dated June 6, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks.

~ Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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